OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 7th August 1937.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses.—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor per palla ...	100	246	13 4 0 to 14 0 0	...	7 to 7½ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi per palla...	100	246	11 0 0 to 12 8 0	...	8 to 9 ,,
	Alubbalu per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
Ragi ..	Duyam (Black) per cart-load.	640	...	31 0 0 to 32 0 0	...	18½ to 19 ,,
	Superior (Red) per cart-load.	640	...	33 0 0 to 34 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	8 to 8½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	4½ to 6 ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7 to 8 ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6 to 7 ,,
Oils and Oil seeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	4 9 0 to 4 10 0	...	Re 0-2-8 per seer.
	Castor oil ...	...	28	4 8 0	...	,, 0-2-0
Oil seeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy.	255	...	27 0 0 to 30 0 0		
	Castor seed per candy ...	255	...	25 8 0 to 26 0 0		
Other Food Articles.—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	2 10 0	...	Rs. 0-5-6 to 0-6-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	2 6 0 to 2 8 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu ...	...	28	1 0 0 to 1 6 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 to 0-3-0 per viss.
	Oonde ...	..	28	0 14 0 to 1 2 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	15 0 0	...	Rs. 2-0-0 per viss
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 2 0	...	14 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 7th August 1937.

H. K. RAMIENGAR,
For *Director*.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1937.

A total of 32 attacks with 14 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 30 attacks with 20 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported one attack with nil death while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1936 and 1935 were 24 attacks with 5 deaths and 16 attacks with 11 deaths, respectively.

A total of 3 attacks with 2 deaths from Small-pox was reported from one village in each of Holalkere and Bowringpet Taluks.

Sixteen attacks with 7 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in Yelandur Taluk and from three villages in Molkalamuru Taluk.

A fatal case from Influenza was reported from Bangalore City.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 72 (16 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 18·11 (14·09 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 40·82 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Typhoid, 3 under other Feavers, 8 under Phthisis, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 55 under all other causes. The reported mortality was very low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 70 deaths (12 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 25·31 (20·97 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 35·82 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 8, other Fevers 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8 and all other causes 49. The mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 67 (20 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 28·57 (20·04 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 26·96 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 3, Phthisis 7, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 11 and all other causes 46. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 38 deaths (2 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 25·67 (22·42 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 41·62 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Malaria, 4 under other Fevers, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 28 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

G. M. DOMINICK,
Director of Health (In charge).

MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. *Meteorological Observations for July* 1937.

Height of Observatory above mean sea level	BANGALORE 3021 ft.	MYSORE 2,518 ft.	HASSAN 3,149 ft.	CHITALDRUG 2,405 ft.	BALEHONNUR 2,917 ft.	NANDI HILL 4,851 ft.
Pressure (red. to 32° F.) ...	26·840	27·338	26·730	27·399	26·935	...
Temperature in shade :—						
Dry Bulb ...	69·7	71·6	69·0	72·7	68·0	62·9
Maximum ...	80·0	80·0	77·2	82·4	73·0	71·8
Minimum ...	66·5	67·2	66·1	69·3	65·0	60·8
Wet Bulb ...	66·6	68·2	66·8	69·3	67·0	61·0
Temperature in open space :—						
Maximum in the Sun ...	132·6	...	...	...	...	...
Minimum on Grass ...	65·1	...	...	...	...	...
Rainfall (Total) ...	3·76	2·10	6·60	2·23	46·53	2·75
Wind Direction ...	N 88° W	S 56° W	S 84° W	S 74° W	N 83° W	...
Velocity (miles per hour) ...	12	10	9	10	5	...
Cloud in cents ...	92	87	92	90	94	90
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine.	2·6	...	...	...	...	...

Dated 10*th August* 1937.

C. SESHACHAR,
Meteorologist.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 23rd July 1937.

[Section (5-ii.)]

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed		Number of bales pressed		Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1936	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	281	921	21,817	20,846	...